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Imports of Agricultural Seeds

Admitted into the United States under the Federal Seed Act

Kind of seed	May		July 1, 1939 to May 31, 1940		July 1, 1938 to May 31, 1939	
	1940	1939	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds
Alfalfa.....	90,300	84,100	(1)	3,375,800	3,261,600	
*Barley.....	800	-----	(2)	202,600	-----	
**Bean, Mung.....	119,400	-----	(3)	238,500	-----	
***Bentgrass.....	22,500	7,400	(4)	145,700	134,200	
***Bluegrass, annual.....	-----	2,200		4,100	12,900	
Bluegrass, Canada.....	100	4,300	(2)	25,500	13,900	
***Bluegrass, rough.....	33,200	25,000	(5)	857,300	666,000	
***Bluegrass, wood.....	-----	-----		2,900	4,900	
Brome, smooth.....	258,700	14,300	(2)	3,864,000	2,189,200	
Clover, alsike.....	-----	-----	(2)	440,500	7,100	
***Clover, berseem.....	-----	-----		-----	200	
Clover, crimson.....	44,000	65,900	(6)	5,445,100	4,656,500	
Clover, red.....	-----	200	(7)	137,700	598,300	
***Clover, subterranean.....	-----	-----		900	1,500	
***Clover, suckling.....	-----	-----		34,700	54,900	
Clover, white.....	17,900	78,000	(8)	751,900	2,372,800	
*Corn.....	58,100	-----	(9)	58,200	-----	
***Dogtail, crested.....	-----	-----	(10)	12,300	2,000	
***Fescue, Chewings.....	54,800	211,200	(11)	848,200	832,000	
Fescue, meadow.....	-----	8,800	(12)	26,600	75,900	
***Fescue, other.....	1,800	7,100	(13)	134,600	331,400	
*Flax.....	-----	-----	(2)	600	-----	
***Foxtail, meadow.....	-----	-----		-----	200	
***Grass, Bahia.....	-----	3,500	(14)	44,100	20,700	
***Grass, carpet.....	-----	-----		200	12,400	
***Grass, Dallis.....	11,900	8,100	(15)	102,600	143,200	
***Grass, Guinea.....	-----	-----	(16)	60,000	28,200	
***Grass, molasses.....	-----	6,600	(16)	88,800	8,800	
Grass, orchard.....	-----	100	(17)	287,800	1,726,700	
***Grass, rescue.....	-----	200		2,400	48,100	
***Grass, Rhodes.....	-----	4,100	(18)	91,800	90,800	
***Grass, velvet.....	-----	-----		7,400	24,300	
***Kudzu.....	-----	2,000	(19)	9,300	7,500	
***Lupine.....	-----	-----		-----	17,400	
***Medick, black.....	-----	5,000		107,200	64,100	
***Millet, Japanese.....	11,200	-----	(20)	801,100	-----	
Mixtures, alfalfa and alsike.....	-----	-----	(2)	15,900	-----	
Mixtures, alsike and timothy.....	-----	-----	(2)	34,300	32,700	
Mixtures, alsike, timothy and red clover.....	-----	-----		-----	7,400	
Mixtures, grass.....	13,300	-----	(21)	75,400	300	
***Mixtures, sweetclover and wheatgrass.....	-----	1,500	(22)	1,500	-----	
*Oat.....	1,771,200	-----	(2)	10,596,700	-----	
*Proso.....	6,600	-----	(23)	6,600	-----	
Rape, winter.....	380,200	238,700	(24)	5,281,100	6,840,400	
*Rye.....	6,700	-----	(2)	6,700	-----	
Ryegrass, Italian.....	-----	-----	(25)	292,200	23,500	
Ryegrass, perennial.....	-----	76,100	(26)	655,600	586,900	
***Sourclover.....	-----	-----		35,000	-----	
**Soybean.....	-----	-----	(27)	2,900	-----	
***Sweetclover.....	18,600	262,400	(28)	3,604,000	10,218,300	
Timothy.....	-----	600	(29)	16,200	1,500	
Vetch, common.....	-----	66,000	(30)	249,000	1,003,700	
Vetch, hairy.....	-----	879,400	(31)	2,684,900	5,671,800	
***Vetch, purple.....	-----	-----		1,000	-----	
*Wheat.....	45,200	-----	(2)	284,400	-----	
***Wheatgrass, crested.....	72,200	66,400	(32)	1,452,000	559,800	
***Wheatgrass, slender.....	20,900	400	(33)	131,700	82,600	
Total	3,061,100	2,128,100		43,637,500	42,436,600	

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- (1) 2,777,300 pounds from Canada; 598,300 pounds from Argentina; 200 pounds from Australia.
- (2) From Canada.
- (3) 234,200 pounds from Hong Kong (222,300 pounds of Chinese origin; 5,000 pounds of Japanese origin); 2,300 pounds from China; 2,000 pounds from Japan.
- (4) 22,500 pounds from New Zealand; 2,000 pounds from the Netherlands.
- (5) 126,800 pounds from Denmark.
- (6) 2,945,600 pounds from France (115,400 pounds of Hungarian origin); 2,158,100 pounds from Hungary; 230,800 pounds from Germany (of Hungarian origin); 55,000 pounds from Poland; 55,600 pounds from Great Britain (32,700 pounds of Hungarian origin; 900 pounds of French origin).
- (7) 98,900 pounds from France; 33,000 pounds from Rumania; 5,800 pounds from Canada.
- (8) 384,300 pounds from Hungary; 297,100 pounds from Poland; 43,200 pounds from New Zealand; 17,700 pounds from Great Britain; 7,500 pounds from Japan; 1,500 pounds from Canada (American goods returned); 600 pounds from Australia.
- (9) 58,100 pounds from Canada; 100 pounds from Argentina.
- (10) 600 pounds from Great Britain (of Northern Irish origin).
- (11) 99,500 pounds from New Zealand.
- (12) From Denmark.
- (13) 30,200 pounds from Hungary; 2,700 pounds from Canada; 1,300 pounds from Denmark.
- (14) 200 pounds from Cuba.
- (15) 16,900 pounds from Australia; 300 pounds from South Africa.
- (16) 2,200 pounds from Brazil.
- (17) 263,800 pounds from Denmark; 22,400 pounds from Japan; 900 pounds from Great Britain; 500 pounds from New Zealand (300 pounds of Australian origin); 100 pounds from Australia (of New Zealand origin); 100 pounds from Germany.
- (18) 1,200 pounds from Australia.
- (19) 4,300 pounds from Japan.
- (20) 167,400 pounds from Australia.
- (21) 67,600 pounds from Canada; 7,800 pounds from Great Britain.
- (22) 1,500 pounds from Canada.
- (23) From Hungary.
- (24) 3,947,700 pounds from Japan; 396,400 pounds from Great Britain (of Rumanian origin); 288,700 pounds from Switzerland (of Rumanian origin); 235,000 pounds from Rumania; 208,800 pounds from Hungary; 204,500 pounds from the Netherlands (105,500 pounds of Hungarian origin).
- (25) 281,200 pounds from Argentina; 5,300 pounds from New Zealand; 4,200 pounds from Australia (100 pounds of New Zealand origin); 1,500 pounds from Northern Ireland.
- (26) 322,600 pounds from Great Britain (238,700 pounds of Northern Irish origin; 77,900 pounds of Northern Irish and Danish origin); 292,000 pounds from Northern Ireland; 36,600 pounds from Denmark; 2,200 pounds from Australia (100 pounds of New Zealand origin); 2,200 pounds from New Zealand.
- (27) 2,600 pounds from Canada; 300 pounds from Japan.
- (28) 315,100 pounds from Canada.
- (29) 16,000 pounds from Canada; 200 pounds from Great Britain.
- (30) 160,900 pounds from Rumania; 88,000 pounds from Latvia; 100 pounds from Great Britain.
- (31) 2,441,600 pounds from Hungary; 103,000 pounds from Latvia; 66,800 pounds from Sweden; 65,900 pounds from Czechoslovakia; 7,600 pounds from Canada.
- (32) 518,400 pounds from Canada.
- (33) 100,900 pounds from Canada.